(b) if so, whether the Commission had given its report;

(c) if so, the details thereof and whether it would be laid on the Table of the House;

(d) whether Government had accepted recommendation of the Commission; and

(e) the time-frame by when the recommendations of the Commission would come into effect?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) and (b) Yes Sir, the Scheduled Areas and Scheduled Tribes Commission (SA and ST Commission) was set up initially for a period of one year and was granted extended period of another year up to 16.7.2004. The Commission has submitted its report.

(c) to (e) The report addresses besides historical perspective, the issues related to Fifth Schedule of the Constitution, TSP approach to tribal development, issues related to land, tribal economy, forest and Panchayats. It also deals with policy of reservation, tribal health and medical services. It further deliberates upon issues of tribal women and tribal policies.

The report is in the process of examination.

Welfare for Tribals in Maharashtra

1877. SHRI DATTA MEGHE: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any proposals from the Government of Maharashtra for welfare of the Tribals in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) how many of these proposals are still under Government's consideration and when they were received;

(d) whether Government have drawn any specific plan for the welfare of the Tribals in Maharashtra;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the amount to be provided to the State Government for implementation of the above plan for welfare of the Tribals?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Tribal Affairs has received proposals from the Government of Maharashtra for welfare of the tribals in the State under the Schemes of (i) Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub-Plan (SCA to TSP), (ii) Grants-in-Aid under Article 275 (1) of the Constitution, (iii) Development of Primitive Tribal Groups, (iv) Hostels for Scheduled Tribe Girls and Boys, (v) Ashram Schools in Tribal Sub Plan Areas, (vi) Post-Matric Scholarship for ST students, and (vii) Research & Training—Grant to Tribal Research Institutes.

(c) These proposals have been received in the Ministry during the current year and have been processed as per the laid down norms of the relevant Schemes.

(d) and (e) The Schemes/programmes of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the welfare and development of tribals are implemented in all the States/UTs, including the State of Maharashtra. As these schemes/programmes already cater to the State of Maharashtra, this Ministry has not drawn any specific plan for the welfare of the tribals in Maharashtra.

(f) Does not arise.

Renovation work in Sector-IV, Gole Market

1878. SHRI SURESH BHARDWAJ: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that renovation work of Model Park, Sector IV, Gole Market, New Delhi which has started 6-7 months ago, but it has not been completed as yet due to negligent attitude of CPWD officials; and

(b) if so, by when it would be completed and the action taken against concerned officials of CPWD and contractors?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. There has been some delay in the completion